

Advocacy Project

“From linguistic forms to meaningful language use”

Static use of →
linguistic forms

Dynamic, meaningful language use

- where language use is a social act, embedded in a web of social and cultural practices
- includes some form of participation in socially embodied and meaningful practices beyond classrooms
- recognises that sociocultural contexts cannot be reduced to an inventory to be ‘mastered’ like grammatical knowledge → they are too rich and variable
- recognises that linguistic form does not disappear but assumes importance as a socially shared communicative resource.

